

ARGUMENTS/ REMARKS

Claims 1-241 were pending in this application. Claims 1-156 and 219-240 were withdrawn from consideration as being drawn to a non-elected invention and are cancelled by this amendment. Claims 157-218 and 241 stand objected to or rejected for the reasons stated in the Office Action mailed June 18, 2010. Claims 157-218 and 241 are cancelled without prejudice, making these objections and rejections moot.

New claims 242-256 are submitted for consideration. Support for new claims 242-256 is found in FIGS. 2-4A, 6, 7, 7A, and on pages 2-3, 6-14 and 17-21 of the original application. Thus, no new matter has been added.

A Petition for Extension of Time by one (1) month, from September 18, 2010 to October 18, 2010, is enclosed with authorization to charge the appropriate fees to the assignee's deposit account 50-3118. No further fees or requests for extensions of time are believed to be due with this paper; however, the Commissioner is authorized to consider this a request for any extension of time necessary and charge our Deposit Account 50-3118 for any additional fees (or credit any over payments) that may be required in association with this communication.

Applicants respectfully request consideration of the claims, as amended. Please contact the undersigned attorney for the Applicants by telephone if it will advance the allowance of the application.

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